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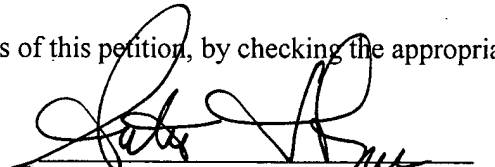
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Filed: 11/19/2002  
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Group No.: 2176  
Examiner: Unassigned  
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1. More than six (6) months have passed since the January 7, 2003 filing of a Petition to Make Special for New Application under MPEP § 708.02, VIII. No communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this petition.
2. Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) indicates that no petition has been entered as of this date (a copy of PAIR printout is enclosed).
3. The application was dispatched from OIPE on December 3, 2002.
4. The application was transferred to Group Art Unit 2176 on December 15, 2002 and no examiner has yet been assigned.
5. A copy of the postcard receipt indicating that the petition was received on January 7, 2003 is also enclosed.
6. Our office has received no reply to status inquiries filed on March 28, 2003 and April 25, 2003, May 16, 2003 and June 26, 2003.
7. Kindly advise the undersigned of the present status of this petition, by checking the appropriate box on the next page and faxing to (727) 507-8668.

  
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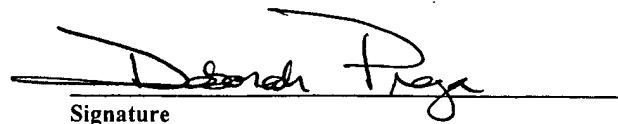
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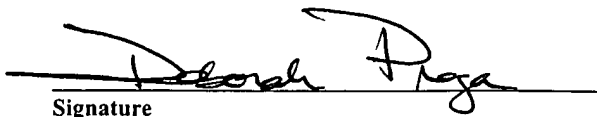
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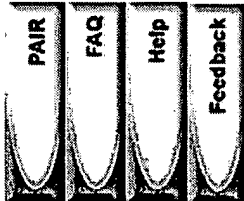
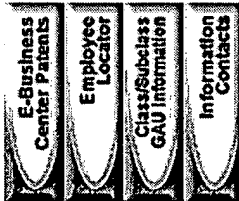
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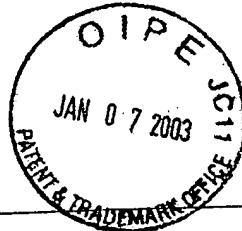
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